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ABSTRACT

A process for forming aggregates of hydrophobic group-containing polysaccharide in water, which comprises causing the hydrophobic group-containing polysaccharide to swell in water and treating the resulting swollen dispersion by dispersing it using a homogenizer under a pressure of 9.8 - 490 MPa (100 - 5,000 kgf/cm<sup>2</sup>), whereby homogenous aggregates of the hydrophobic group-containing polysaccharide are formed in a simple and convenient way in large amount within a brief time.